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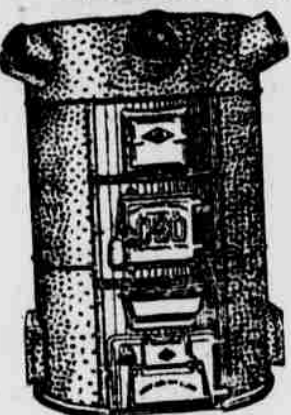
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AUSTRALIANS CO-OPERATE WITH AMERICAN TROOPS

Cost Disregarded by Foo. Thousands Germans Poured Into Hard Fighting.

With the American Army on the St. Quentin Sector, Monday, Sept. 30.—(10:30 p.m.)—American forces fighting on the Hindenburg line south of Gouy have been heavily engaged all day and tonight. The action still continues. Australian units have been co-operating with the Americans. Near the north and south portals of the tunnel, through which the St. Quentin canal runs, the fighting has been especially vigorous. It was at this point that the Americans passed over the canal. Thousands of Germans were poured into the struggle and have been heavily engaged.

The St. Quentin canal tunnel runs for more than five kilometers under a mountain. The canal was held by large numbers of Germans, who were on board electrically-lighted boats. There are wide tow paths and galleries leading off from each side of the canal and in them the entire garrison had quarters.

Literally Tunnel-Lined. This section probably is one of the strongest parts of the entire Hindenburg system, and the Americans have found it to be literally lined with tunnels, dugouts and galleries, which require a great deal of mopping up. Large numbers of Germans have been killed, but before they were silenced the enemy masses worked their machine guns with the greatest vigor.

Tunnel Choked With Dead. When the Americans swept past the southern end of the tunnel the Germans remained in hiding until the Americans got a little way past and they surged up and plunged into the fight. They were engaged first by the Americans and then by the Australians. The tunnel mouth was choked with dead. This action began late last evening and continued until 8 o'clock this morning with unabated intensity. American units now hold the trenches in the Hindenburg line, from which the Germans have tried to force them out. Everywhere there has been fighting of the hardest character.

Reports indicate that north of Bellcourt there was very heavy fighting and the Americans, in spite of great pressure, have held their positions, in not a few cases to the last man. They fell fighting rather than give up a single inch of ground to the desperately fighting Germans who seemed to have been hurled against them regardless of the cost. As a result of the fighting up to this evening, the Americans are holding lines forming a salient which bulges slightly westward between Gouy and Joncourt, but this, at last reports, was being gradually eliminated.

ACTIVITIES ALONG MOSELLE AND MEUSE

Ten Americans Remain for 24 Hours in Frehaut Wood.

Germans Fall Back.

With the American Army in Lorraine, Oct. 1.—American raiding parties have been unusually busy everywhere along the line between the Moselle and Meuse rivers and have brought scores of German prisoners back with them. One American patrol east of the Moselle river advanced clear beyond the Les Meutis-Louigny road. They were finally forced to retire in the face of a heavy bombardment. Ten Americans remained for twenty-four hours in the Frehaut wood, after the Germans had taken up their old positions. Then the Americans moved on to Gorardier, but they were driven off, leaving a prisoner in the Americans' hands.

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CAPITULATION OF TURKEY TO COME IN THREE WEEKS

(By Floyd MacGriff.)

London, Oct. 1.—(2:37 p.m.)—(I. N. S.)—The capitulation of Turkey within three weeks was predicted in well informed political circles this afternoon.

At the same time it is expected that Austria-Hungary will probably surrender by Christmas if the allies continue their progress on the western front.

While no overtures from Turkey have been received at the foreign office, it is confidently believed in many quarters that negotiations will soon be opened.

Turkey has insufficient forces on European soil to defend Constantinople from an attack through Bulgaria.

After establishing a Serbian front the allied forces will still be preponderant, while the withdrawal of Turkish forces from Mesopotamia or the Caucasus will be tantamount to actual surrender.

Germany has insufficient troops to resist the Bulgarian advance and it is considered that it would be unwise for Germany to withdraw forces from Ukraine or Rumania.

Germany now probably will attempt to use Austria-Hungary in an attempt to punish the Serbs. But Austria, it is believed, will fight only until it is certain that the German army cannot halt the entente in the west.

The further burden on Austria will naturally increase the desire for peace in that country.

"UNEASY LIES THE HEAD THAT WEARS THE CROWN"

Paris, Oct. 1.—It was the fear of revolution at home and the failure of Germany and Austria to send him the military force he required that induced King Ferdinand of Bulgaria to turn to the entente for help, according to the American consul-general at Sofia (Dominick Murphy), as quoted in a dispatch to the Matin from Saloniki.

The consul-general, the dispatch states, gave interesting details on his arrival at Saloniki from Sofia, in company with the Bulgarian plenipotentiaries of the conditions in the Bulgarian capital leading up to the demand for an armistice. King Ferdinand, the account declared, assembled the grand council Sept. 23, with the result that a formal demand was made on Berlin and Vienna for immediate assistance.

Notwithstanding the urgent tone of the demand Germany and Austria responded with evasive promises for the future.

That, the account continues, settled the determination of King Ferdinand to forsake the powers which had brought only desolation to Bulgaria, and entrust her destinies to the entente.

But what impelled the king most, the consul general's account indicated, was the fear of revolution. Anarchy was making serious progress in Sofia. Workmen and soldiers had held meetings and passed laws.

Manifestations were held before the royal palace. King Ferdinand, it is added, haunted by the recollection of the execution of former Emperor Nicholas, was unable to sleep. He regarded it as essential for his country and for his own safety that a strong foreign military force should intervene and thus it is added as Germany could not give him that force, he turned to the entente.

MERRIMAN DISAPPOINTED

Admitting that he did wrong by deserting his flag in time of war, but claiming that he was forced to do so by a commission in the engineering corps which never came, W. M. Merriman, under arrest for both wife and army desertion, awaits further developments. Since his arrest here last week he has been confined in the police station. He

stated that the army would never have had any trouble with him if he had gotten what was promised. He was sorry because his little wife had been brought into the unpleasantness of newspaper notoriety and expressed confidence that she had nothing to do with his arrest. He charged that some one else was responsible for his arrest.

"I come from a good family as Tennessee produces," he explained. "My mother's father was one of the first governors of Arkansas. My father's father was Col. Jim Merriman."

Merriman said he was an engineer on the Texas Pacific railway fourteen years and received recommendations for railway officials. He also said that he passed all the required examinations for a commission with the engineers in the army. According to his story, after deserting from the army at Camp Humphries, Va., he got a job as a railway engineer, running between Augusta and Atlanta.

He expressed regret that his wife had suffered because of his predicament.

Merriman visited him at police headquarters Monday afternoon and they talked for several minutes.

It is probable that Merriman will be delivered to the military authorities at Fort Oglethorpe.

HIGH PRICES TO ENDURE

The prediction made by Clarence Poe, editor of the Progress Farmer, in an article in the Review of Reviews, that the interest of the food will never return will be proved in the future. The return of the food will be a reaction of the return of the food to the land in the future. The return of the food to the land in the future will be a reaction of the return of the food to the land in the future.

The condition to which reference is made is familiar to all who have lived in rural communities. In many of these communities, the farmer who was even "well-to-do" system has kept many of the best of the fact that they were actually selling their products below cost.

Mr. Poe goes on to say that the statement of Alva Ace that our city is now a "city of the future" is a statement of the future. The statement of the future is a statement of the future.

The price of farm products will hardly return to the old levels so long as other industries in the centers of population continue to compete openly for the labor of the country. It is no secret that the chief reason why the farmer has not been able to hold the young men has been the fact that the farmer has not been able to hold the young men.

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RAISE \$333,000,000 IF LOAN GOAL IS REACHED

Only Actual Cash Subscriptions to Be Reported During Campaign.

Washington, Oct. 1.—Treasury department officials this afternoon were without reports upon which might be based any reliable estimate of the progress to date of the fourth liberty loan. Scattering returns of actual subscriptions and of pledges have been received from various parts of the country, but these, officials made plain, failed to indicate what actually is being accomplished in the campaign.

It is necessary to raise \$333,000,000 every working day for three weeks if the \$6,660,000,000 is to be obtained, but in the absence of figures it was impossible, officials said, to determine whether this pace had been set by the workers all over the country. It was apparent that those directing the drive from Washington were anxious that there might be a speeding up, both in subscriptions and in returns, and the belief was expressed that the purchases had not yet reached the half billion mark.

Report Only the Cash. In previous campaigns the various subscriptions and pledges were an order from day to day. This time, however, only the actual cash in hand is to be included in the reports to be given out. Daily reports of the progress of the drive probably will start before the end of the present week, officials said.

WAR NOT ENDED—WARNING.

Interest in Eastern Situation Focused on Turkey.

London, Oct. 1.—With Bulgaria out of the war through the armistice convention signed on Sunday, involving her complete military surrender, interest in the near eastern situation is being focused on Turkey.

It is noted that Andrew Bonar Law, the chancellor of the exchequer, in his guide speech Monday, made a remark referring to the defeat of the Turkish Palestine army at Gen. Allenby's hands, adding that something more is going to follow.

Later in his speech he said, also cryptically touching on the control of Bulgaria, which the control of her railways will give.

"Of that there was something in connection with Turkey which I cannot say, but which we can all think, Mr. Bonar Law's words were almost drowned by cheering, but the impression created was that Turkey would follow Bulgaria's lead."

There was deep satisfaction in London over the day's developments, but excitement and no demonstrations. The keynote of the newspaper comment is a warning to the people not to think that the war is ended. The German army, it is pointed out, is yet a great army and as yet undetested. The war, it is pointed out, is yet a great army and as yet undetested.

According to Vienna messages, Emperor Charles is to issue a manifesto to the people tomorrow, in which he says that this must be an utterance of historic importance.

SENATE REJECTS PROPOSAL

Of Mississippi Slogan to Limit Vote to White Women.

Washington, Oct. 1.—After a final plea today by President Wilson in personal letters to democratic supporters in behalf of the women's suffrage amendment and another installment of the debate, the senate began disposing of amendments to the resolution and rejected, 61 to 22, the proposal of Senator Williams, of Mississippi, to limit the franchise to white women, the senate adopting a motion of Chairman Jones, of the suffrage committee, to table the Williams amendment.

GERMANS COUNTER ATTACK

British Headquarters in France, Oct. 1.—(Via Montreal.) (Reuter.) Heavy counter attacks were delivered by the Germans today upon the Canadians, Australians and Americans outside of Cambrai. The allies have, however, more than maintained their ground.

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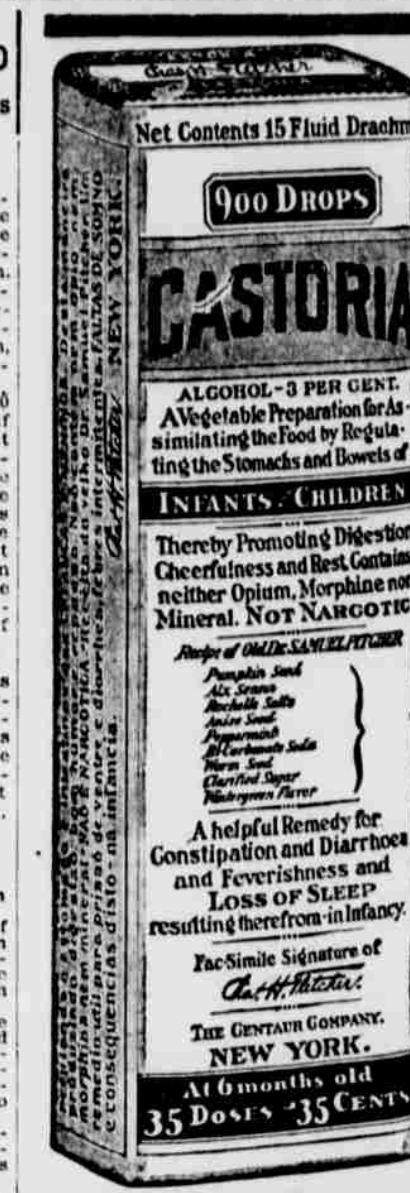
WILL RUN AS SOLDIERS' CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS

Dick Austin Hasn't Quit Fight and Announces It His Duty to Run.

Washington, Oct. 1.—(Special.)—Representative Dick Austin, of the Second district, will be a candidate for re-election to congress at the November election. His intention to run as independent candidate against J. Will Taylor, of Lafayette, who defeated him in August for the republican nomination, was announced today. He will run as the "soldiers' candidate" and gives the basis for his action a signed petition which he has received from a committee of Second district soldiers in France, headed by Col. Cary F. Spence, of Knoxville.

"In addition to this call from across the sea, I have had many similar requests from the good people back at home," said Mr. Austin, "while the sentiment in Washington is practically unanimous that I should leave nothing undone to keep a critic of a necessary and vital war measure out of congress."

Mr. Austin leaves for home Tuesday or Wednesday to begin his campaign. The contest will be a bitter one.



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